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# Student Unit Got CIA's \$1.6 Million

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WASHINGTON, Feb. 16—

A private foundation named as a conduit for Central Intelligence Agency funds has given more than \$1.6 million to the National Student Assn since 1959 without filing public tax records.

The Foundation for Youth and Student Affairs (FYSA), identified by top officers of the NSA as a CIA "front," still maintains a relationship with the student organization. The current grant amounts to \$26,786.

An analysis of the NSA's tax records for the past seven years revealed that the FYSA contributed \$292,753 to the student group in 1965—the year the NSA decided to sever its link with the intelligence agency.

The FYSA was founded in 1952 "to help national and international youth organizations carry out their programs and activities." This was the year the National Student Association negotiated its subsidy agreement with the CIA.

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The foundation's headquarters are at 1 E. 54th St. in New York City. Its fourth floor offices are not listed in the building directory.

Arthur Armory Houghton Jr., the foundation's president, issued a statement yesterday noting that "at the moment, some of the actions of FYSA are being questioned."

"I do not intend to answer these allegations," Houghton said. "If, at any time, I

have co-operated with our government as a citizen on matters affecting the national interest, that is my own affair."

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